MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): They are only going to make drawings.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): May I know whether the question of accommodation will depend on the design and plan of the buildings to a considerable extent?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): Yes; all those aspects of the question have been considered by the Chief Engineer.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon I*): May I know whether Government consider that the Chief Engineer is the authority in this matter?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): Yes.

MR. T. K VELU PILLAI (*Trivandrum—Urban*): Does the Government recognise the difference between designing and drawing?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): There is some difference.

MR. T. K. VELU PILLAI (*Trivandrum—Urban*): Will the Government be pleased to enquire whether there are not persons in the Department who are able to do the work for which an advertisement is proposed to get the service of others?

MR. T.C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*): The Chief Engineer reported that there are no men in the Department competent to do the work.

Appointments on Rs. 50 and above.

165. *MR. K. SANKARAN (*Kartikapalli I*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the total number of appointments in the State having a pay of Rs. 50 and above;

(*b*) the number of such appointments held by Christians;

(*c*) the number of such appointments held by Ezhavas;

(*d*) the number of such appointments held by Nairs; and

(*e*) the number of such appoinments held by Brahmins?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) to (*e*) Government do not propose to collect the information as the time and labour involved is out of all proportion to its possible utility.

Appointments on Rs. 150 and above.

166. *MR. K. SANKARAN (*Kartikapalli I*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the total number of appointments having a pay of Rs. 150 and above;

(*b*) the number of such appointments held by Christians:

(*c*) the number of such appointments held by Nairs;

(*d*) the number of such appointments held by Ezhavas: and

(*e*) the number of such appointments held by Brahmins?

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(*a*) to (*e*). The member is referred to the Quarterly Civil List published by Government.

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